## **APPENDIX II**

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Abstract ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE

The present invention relates to a A door pillar (2) for a supporting frame structure (1) of a vehicle body, with body has an upper section (3) which extends from a vehicle roof as far as a vehicle side edge (5), and with a lower section (6) which extends from the vehicle side edge (5) in the direction of a vehicle floor. In order to improve the door pillar (2) with regard to loading and weight, it has a pillar body (8) which extends at least in the upper section (3) and is made of iron or iron alloy, and a pillar base (9) which is connected fixedly thereto, extends at

least in the lower section, (6) and is made of light metal or light metal alloy.

(Fig. 1)